



Congressman Hice Presents
**2019 Service
Academy Day**

Nominations 101

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW TO GET STARTED

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- ☐ Be unmarried, not pregnant, and without legal obligation to support children or other dependents

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2. The Appropriate Service (e.g., Secretary of the Navy for nominations to the Naval Academy)



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Members of Congress may nominate candidates for appointment to:

- ✓ U.S. Military Academy (USMA), West Point, NY
- ✓ U.S. Naval Academy (USNA), Annapolis, MD
- ✓ U.S. Air Force Academy (USAFA), Colorado Springs, CO
- ✓ U.S. Merchant Marine Academy (USMMA), Kings Point, NY

Congressional Nominations



The U.S. Coast Guard Academy (USCGA) does not require a congressional nomination for appointment.



U.S. Senator Johnny Isakson

Deadline:

Wednesday, October 2, 2019

Website:

Isakson.senate.gov



U.S. Senator David Perdue

Deadline:

Wednesday, October 2, 2019

Website:

Perdue.senate.gov

U.S. Rep. Jody Hice

Deadline:

Friday, October 11,
2019

Website:

[Hice.house.gov](https://hice.house.gov)





State of Georgia

10TH CONGRESSIONAL
DISTRICT

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Applying for a nomination and applying to the Academy are two separate tasks.



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16,086

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April – May

Contact Service Academy's admission office to request an application package.

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Complete and submit nomination applications to all nominating sources.

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Our office will contact you regarding your interview status. Those selected for an interview will be notified regarding the time/place of the interview with Congressman Hice's Academy Review Board.

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Spring

The academies will offer the majority of appointments to candidates from March to May.

Late June or early July

Newly appointed class enters each academy.

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You may be offered an opportunity to attend one of the Academy Prep Schools. The Prep Schools have an excellent record of getting students into the Academies after the one-year Prep School Program.



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